

TEXT FOR THE WEEK

"I am the vine, you are the branches. He who abides in Me, and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit." John 15:5

Text of this week chosen by Howard A. Rosine, Pastor, Harbor City Methodist Church

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Rev. Sippel To Speak On 'Growth'

After a month's vacation, the Rev. Milton Sippel will return to the pulpit of the First Christian church, 2930 El Dorado ave., next Sunday. It will be the beginning of a new church year. The subject of his sermon will be: "Growing Day by Day."

On Friday evening at 6:30 in the church there will be a fellowship supper and annual business meeting for the entire congregation. A new budget will be adopted and new officers elected.

During the year of 1955-56 the First Christian church made great progress. The sanctuary was built and 152 new members were added. Plans for the new year call for an enlarged program and emphasis on development of spiritual life.

You Can Change the World, Topic

Dr. Earl D. Barnum, minister of the Church of Religious Science in Redondo Beach, has announced that his subject for Sunday will be "You Can Change the World." Sunday services of the church, the Junior church, and the Metateens will be held concurrently at 11 a.m. in the Masonic temple, Ruby and Catalina sts., Redondo beach. Children's church services will begin seven minutes before 11 a.m.

ing the church services, with organ music by the church organist, Jean Rhodes. During the church services there will be a presentation of certificates to those who have completed the basic Practitioners' Clinic work. Dr. Barnum states that the graduates of this clinic are thus qualified for later application for practitioner's license.

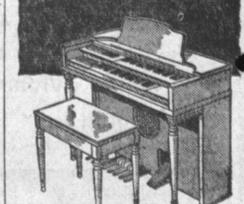
A church nursery is available on Sunday, under the supervision of a registered nurse. The inspiration hour is on Wednesday at 1 p.m. in the classroom at 503 S. Catalina ave., in Redondo beach. There will be a luncheon before the meeting, at 12 noon, this coming Wednesday. Those attending are asked to bring a sandwich—coffee will be provided. The public is invited to all activities of the church.

Christian Scientist Talks On 'God's Promises Fulfilled'

Walter S. Symonds, noted Christian Science lecturer, spoke here last week on the subject, "Christian Science: God's Promises Fulfilled." The lecturer spoke substantially as follows: Throughout the ages men have been seeking a true knowledge of their origin, of their purpose, and of the substance of their existence. In every field of activity we have seen this effort expanded and have noted the unremitting toil of

plains the eternal dynamics being, and shows that nature and man are as harmonious today as in the beginning, when "all things were made by Him; and without Him was not any thing made."

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Name Pastors For Methodist Churches Here

Rev. John L. Taylor and Rev. Donald J. Shelby were reappointed to the First Methodist church of Torrance by the Southern California-Arizona conference of the Methodist church which met last week at the University of Redlands. This will be the fifth year of service in the Torrance church for Rev. Taylor and the third for Rev. Shelby.

The conference appointed Rev. Alfred Hook to the Walteria Methodist church, with Rev. William Steel as acting pastor there for the summer. The appointment of Rev. Thomas Dillard to the new Hollywood Riviera church was confirmed by the conference. The only other new pastor in the area is Rev. John Carlson, who was appointed to the North Redondo Methodist church.

Adventists Return to Local Church

Members of the Seventh-day Adventist church will resume their regular Saturday morning worship services at the local church, 1610 Acacia ave., at 9:30 a.m., on June 30, following the 54th annual Camp Meeting of Adventists which ended in Lynwood on Sunday, June 24.

For the past two weeks the local church has been holding its Saturday worship services at the annual religious convention in Lynwood. "A special quarterly mission offering will be received during the Sabbath school hour," stated Chey Fredericks, Superintendent. The proceeds of this offering from all Adventist churches in North America will go to Brazil to assist in building churches and to help in the enlargement of the Seventh-day Adventists' educational work there.

"A cordial invitation is extended to the community to worship with us," said Pastor Glenn L. Goffar in commenting on the weekend services.

R. W. CULPEPPER SALVATION HEALING REVIVAL Bring the Sick and Afflicted... Prayer Cards given out nightly at beginning of the service. The Blind See, the Deaf Hear, the Lame Walk in answer to the Prayer of Faith. NOW IN GARDENA AREA UNDER THE BIG TENT Tent is Located Cor. 164th & Crenshaw Blvd. For All People of All Churches Services Nightly 7:30—Sun., 2:30 & 7:30 P.M. JUNE 29th to JULY 16th Sponsored by the Full Gospel Churches of This Area

WELCOME TO TORRANCE... FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH AT CARSON AND MANUEL STS., TORRANCE C. MILES NORTHRUP, PASTOR 6:30 P.M. Fellowship Training 7:30 P.M. Evening Service Wed. Prayer and Praise Service, 7:30 P.M. A Nursery is provided for all services. Also sound-proof mothers' room in balcony. 9:00-9:50 Early Church Service 9:00-9:50 Junior and Primary 10:00-10:50 General Sunday School 10:00-10:50 Junior Church in Main Sanctuary (for Junior and Primary Depts.) 11:00 Regular Church Service 11:00 Story Hour—pre-school children. Nursery provided for all services.

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR FAITH

What is a Church? Is it a showroom or a service station? As you go around and talk to people, many of them seem to feel that church is a place where you go if you can spare the time, and if you are a "good" person. Church, to them, is sort of a show room where all the good people gather to show off their goodness. Show rooms are important for selling cars, but more important, after the car is on the road is the service station. Your car need never be in a show room again, but if you skip the service station you will have all kinds of trouble. First, you'll be out of gas, then out of oil, then in need of grease, and finally your car will be valueless because it never was taken to the service station. Churches may seem like showrooms, but they are really service stations.

A man may say that he is a Christian and does not attend church, but when he says this he is using the word "Christian" in a much different sense than the word found in the Bible. Christian meant literally "Christ's man" and in experience it means a person who is vitally related to Jesus Christ. We may have many good qualities and yet lack this relationship. Lacking this we lack the power needed for all the tests of life. In the church all people are offered a vital relationship to Christ and this relationship is nurtured through its various activities. As you come to church and surrender yourself to Christ, you will find that the church is becoming a service station to your soul and that all the areas of your life are more satisfying and effective.

If you are not attending a church, we wish to cordially invite



you to worship with us. We have services at 9 A.M., 11 A.M. and 7:30 P.M. Sundays, with Church school at 9 A.M. and 11 A.M. for children through sixth grades, and at 10 o'clock for the youth and adults. We also have youth fellowships, choirs, Men's Fellowship and Women's Society of Christian Service. We feel that each of these activities will give you an opportunity to show the power of Christ and give you strength for daily living. We are located near McCown's Drug store in Lomita, one block south of Pacific Coast highway and one block west of Western at 259th and Cuyuga streets. Come and worship with us, for you are only a stranger once at our church.

HOWARD A. ROSINE, Pastor, Harbor City Methodist Church, Wayside Chapel

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CHURCH DIRECTORY

- NATIVITY CATHOLIC CHURCH—1447 Engracia Avenue, Rev. Patrick McGulness, Pastor, telephone FA 1-7778. Schedule of Masses and Services: Ten Sunday Masses, seven at main church, 1448 Engracia Ave.—6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:15, 11:15 and 12:15. One at Nativity Annex, 1415 Engracia Ave., at 10:00 A.M. Two Masses at Mission Church of St. Joseph's, 2314 W. Del Amo Blvd., at 9:30 and 11:00 A.M. Inquiry Class into the truths of Religion every Thursday night at 8:00 P.M. in the Rectory, 1447 Engracia Ave. Confessions through the Sacrament, 10:00 to 11:00 A.M., 4:00 to 6:00 P.M., 7:30 to 9:00 P.M. Baptisms Saturdays and Sundays at 2:00 P.M. First Communion Class at Nativity Annex immediately after 10:00 A.M. Mass. Infant care from 9:00 to 11:00 A.M. at Nativity Annex.
- THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH—El Prado at Manuel Avenue, Rev. John L. Taylor, Minister, Church School fourth grade and below 10:00 Church School, all ages, extended sessions fourth grade and below, 11:00 Morning Worship—Adult Choir, Infant care from 9:00 to 12 A.M. 6:30 High School Youth Fellowship.
- FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH—Located on Carson Street and Flower Avenue in Torrance, Rev. Paul Wenske, Pastor, Residence 2550 El Dorado, Phone FA. 8-3248, Church Office: 1725 Flower Avenue, FA. 8-5884. First Church Worship, 8:00 A.M.; Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; second Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M.
- FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—218th Street at Manuel Avenue, Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; Sunday Service, 11:00 A.M.; Wednesday Evening Meeting, 8:00 P.M.; Reading Room, 1617 Cabrille Avenue, Open 10:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. daily except Sundays and holidays. Monday and Friday evenings, 7 to 9 P.M.
- CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE—1501 West Carson Street, Rev. Freeman A. Branson, Pastor, Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Youth Groups, 6:30 P.M.; Evening Service, 7:30 P.M.; People's Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Carson at Manuel, Rev. C. Miles Northrup, Pastor, Nathan H. Bond, Assistant Minister, Church phone: FA. 8-5030; Northrup, FA. 8-3405; 9:00 and 11 A.M. duplicate church services, 9:00 A.M. Jr. and Primary classes, 10:00 A.M. Jr. Church Youth & Adult Classes, Training Units, 6:30 P.M. Evangelistic Service, 7:30 P.M.; Mid-Week Service, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. Nursery for every service.
- ASSEMBLY OF GOD REVIVAL TABERNACLE—Normandie at 258th Street, Harbor City, Calif. Rev. and Mrs. Fred Martin, Services: Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Evangelistic, 7:30 P.M.; Tuesday, 7:30 P.M.; Thursday, Young People, 7:30 P.M.
- FOURSQUARE CHURCH—1207 El Prado; telephone, DA. 6-2072. Rev. and Mrs. James P. Lowen, Pastors. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 A.M.; Morning Worship, 10:45 A.M.; Group Services, 6:30 P.M.; P. Cadets (Defenders); Evangelistic, 7:30 P.M. mid-week; Wednesday, Bible Study at 7:30 P.M. Public invited.
- LOMITA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—245th Street at Woodward Ave. (Near Lomita Boulevard and Narbonne Avenue), Rev. Eldon Durham, Minister, Residence 25307 Oak St. Telephone DA. 6-0139. Sunday School, 9:30 A.M., and Morning Worship, 9:30 and 11 A.M. Westminster Fellowship Youth Groups, 6:30 P.M.
- KEYSTONE ASSEMBLY OF GOD—21916 Moneta Ave., Keystone, Pastor Charlotte Shook, DA. 6-6861. Sunday School 9:45; Preaching 11 A.M. Evening Evangelistic Service 7:45 P.M. Sundays, Mid-Week, Thursday 7:45 P.M.
- CHURCH OF RELIGIOUS SCIENCE (Masonic Temple)—Corner of Ruby and Catalina streets, J.R. 4-3531, Redondo. Minister, Dr. Earl D. Barnum, Services 9:30 and 11 A.M. Sermon Title, "You Can Change the World." Junior Church and Metateens, 11 A.M., Inspirational.
- TORRANCE SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST—1610 Acacia Avenue, Elder Glenn L. Goffar, Pastor, Phone: FA. 8-5731; Church office FA. 8-1940. Sabbath School, 9:30 A.M.; Church Services, 11 A.M. Bible Study, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. Young People's Meeting, Friday, 7:30 P.M.
- EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH (Missouri Synod)—708 Knob Hill Avenue, Redondo Beach, Near Southwood Park; west of Hawthorne, south of Sepulveda, Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Worship Service: 8:30 and 11:00 A.M.; Pastor: A. L. Scheetz; Frontiers 9-5235 or 6-7538.
- CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH—Meeting at the Crenshaw School, 1820 Crenshaw, Maynard, Minister, Pastor, Residence, 3226 West 179th; phone DA. 9-3455. Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Divine Worship, 10:45 a.m. Unltd care and nursery provided.
- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Park and Newton Streets in Walteria, Rev. L. H. Hunsat, Pastor, Phone: FA. 8-5731. Bible School at 9:30 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Young People's Service, at 6:30 P.M.; Inspirational Gospel Hour at 7:00 P.M. Wednesday, 7:30 P.M. Bible Exposition and Prayer.
- ST. ANDREWS EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Phone FA. 8-5781, Res. FA. 8-4309, 1452 Engracia (across from Torrance Memorial Hospital), Rev. Hugh R. Percy, BA., ED. Holy Communion 7:30 A.M. Sunday School and Family Services 9:15 A.M. Sunday Service 11:00 A.M. Holy Communion Sunday—First Sunday in Month.
- SOUTH BAY CHURCH OF GOD—17661 Yukon Ave., Phone DA. 9-1509, Rev. C. L. Tierney, Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Sunday Night Service, 7:30 P.M. Mid-week Services, Wednesday, 7:30 P.M.
- CHURCH OF CHRIST—1217 Cravens Avenue in Torrance; Schedule of Services, Sunday 8:30 A.M. Worship Service, 9:45 A.M. Bible Study, 10:45 A.M. Worship Service, 6:00 P.M. Young People's Meeting, 7:00 P.M. Evening Worship, 11:00 A.M.; Ladies Bible Class, 7:30 P.M. Bible Study.
- FAITH CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY OF GOD—18015 S. Prairie Ave., North Torrance, Rev. Bob Jones, Pastor, Sunday School, 9:45 A.M.; Morning Worship, 11 A.M.; Evangelistic Service, 7:45 P.M.; Wednesday Bible Study, 7:30 P.M. Everyone Welcome.